

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 19, please amend the first paragraph beginning on line 5 as follows,  
"The stimulus-receiver module 68 which is outside of the titanium can 65 in one embodiment (or alternatively may be inside) is similar to an inductively coupled stimulation system,...".

CLAIM AMENDMENTS:

1 (currently amended): A method to provide electrical pulses to one or both vagus nerve(s) and/or its branches of a patient to provide therapy for at least one of obesity, eating disorders, comprising the steps of:

a) providing at least one implanted stimulator to provide electrical pulses, wherein said implanted stimulator ~~comprising~~ an implanted pulse generator module and an implanted stimulus-receiver module;

b) providing an external stimulator adapted to be inductively coupled to said implanted stimulus-receiver module; and

c) providing at least one implanted lead in electrical contact with said implanted stimulator, and at least one electrode adapted to be in contact with said vagus nerve(s) and/or its branches,

d) whereby electrical pulses are provided to one or both vagus nerve(s) and/or its branches.

2 (currently amended): Method of claim 1, wherein said implanted stimulator further comprises ~~controlling means~~ control circuitry for selectively operating one of said implanted pulse generator module and said implanted stimulus-receiver module.

3 (currently amended): Method of claim 1, wherein said electrical pulses are ~~applied~~ provided at any level along the length of said vagus nerve(s) and its branches.